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Advance in Prices of Subscriptions and Advertising. In consequence of the increased cost of wages, paper, and other materials, telegraphic reports, substance, &c., the Proprietors of the NASHVILLE UNION have been compelled to advance the price of subscriptions, advertising, &c. They have adopted a new schedule, as appears above, and which will go into effect on Monday, Sept. 26th, and be scrupulously adhered to.

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CANADIAN ANNEXATION.—In discussing the question of Canadian confederation, the St. Johns (New Brunswick) Journal says:

But it may not follow that because we are cast adrift we shall necessarily remain an independent nation. After receiving "patience to quit," we must look around for the best alliance possible for our own interests. Great Britain may not desire our annexation to the United States, yet if annexation be the best arrangement we can make, why annexation must follow.

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By Telegraph.

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Tobacco, and Tobacco Smoking.

Chemistry of the Weed—Effects of Smoking Cigars, Pipes and Meerschaums.

One of the most interesting and novel of all the speculations on the use of tobacco was submitted to the British Association for the Advancement of Science at its late session, and the information afforded will be well received by that large class of persons who indulge in the use of the weed. Dr. Richardson first contrived an automatic smoker, into whose mouth pipes, cigars and meerschaums were placed, and the smoke from them being caught and collected, enabled him to determine the products of the combustion. These he determined as, 1, water; 2, free carbon; 3, ammonia; 4, carbonic acid; 5, nicotine; 6, an empyreumatic substance of a resinous bitter extract.

The water is in the form of vapor, the carbon in minute particles suspended in the water vapor, and giving the eddies of smoke their blue color, the ammonia is in the form of gas combined with carbonic acid, and the carbonic acid is partly free and partly in combination with ammonia. The nicotine, he says, being a non-volatile body, remains in the pipe; the empyreumatic substance is a volatile body of an amomral nature, the composition of which the Doctor confesses himself unacquainted, but which we have ventured to consider as resin. Whatever it is, it is that which gives the smoke of tobacco its peculiar color, and determines the flavor of a cigar. It adheres powerfully to woollen materials, and when concentrated has a most noxious and intolerable smell. The bitter substance is resinous and of a sticky color, probably having an alkaloid as its base. It is not volatile, and only leaves the pipe of cigar by being carried along in a fluid form.

The varieties of tobacco are innumerable. Simple tobacco that has not undergone fermentation yields very little free carbon, much ammonia, carbonic acid, little water, a small quantity of the empyreumatic and an equally small quantity of bitter extract. The Latakia yields the same products uniformly, the Turkish generally more ammonia, Havana all these products. Cavendish varies considerably in its constituents, yields all very abundantly; the little Swiss cigars yield enormous quantities of ammonia, and so dry the mouth. Manilla gives very little. The Connecticut tobacco is composed almost in taste, from the absence of the bitter extract.

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